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Honorable Jesse M. Furman, USDJ United States District Court Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square New York, N.Y. 10007 **By ECF** 

> Re: U.S. v. Adamu Alhassan 21 Cr. 523 (JMF)

Dear Judge Furman:

I was appointed to represent Mr. Alhassan pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act. Retained counsel has filed a notice of appearance on behalf of Mr. Alhassan. I have spoken with retained counsel to update him on the status of the case. I have also explained that almost of the discovery material is covered by a protective order, is available on USAfx and he needs to speak with the government to obtain the discovery.

I respectfully request that I be relieved as Mr. Alhassan's attorney.

Application GRANTED. The Clerk of Court is directed to update the docket and to terminate ECF No. 43. SO ORDERED.

October 15, 2021

Sincerely yours, /s/

Sam A. Schmidt